

Governor's Proposed Budgets for Higher Education

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Guiding Principles of Governor's Proposed Budget

- Ensure a solid foundation for the future by investing in and protecting our children
- Maintain public safety
- Partner with communities to support and protect our most vulnerable citizens
- Lay the foundation for a strong quality of life and economy for the 21st century
- Work together to get through these tough times



Governor's Proposed 2009 Supplemental Operating Budget Cuts: \$68,368,000

- \$35,863,000: August 2008 freeze in hiring, travel, equipment purchases, contracts
- \$4,107,000: October 2008 direct budget reductions
- \$28,398,000: November 2008 further reductions



Governor's Proposed 2009-11 Operating Budget

- Budgeted enrollments remain at FY 09 levels.
- State funding reduced by 12%-13% for four-year institutions and 6%-7% for the community and technical college system from adjusted carry-forward budgets.
- Management of cuts left to institutions to maximize local control and minimize impact on students.



High Demand Degree Targets

 With no additional funds, institutions required to produce graduates in high demand fields of natural resources & conservation, computer science, mathematics, engineering, physical & biological sciences, and health professions:

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UW 3,996
WSU 1,429
EWU 463
CWU 274
WWU 534
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 The SBCTC is required to produce at least 22,000 completers of job preparatory and apprenticeship programs.



Tuition Policy

- Resident undergraduate tuition increases limited to 7 percent at four-year institutions; and at community & technical colleges 5 percent for resident lower- division, and 7 percent for resident upper-division courses in CTC applied baccalaureate programs.
- SBCTC allowed to charge tuition on a per-credit basis, provided average increase not greater than 5 percent.
- Governing boards of each institution and SBCTC allowed to set nonresident undergraduate and graduate tuition, as relevant.



Graduated Tuition Proviso

- The HECB, with four-year institutions, reviews options and develops an approach to a graduated tuition policy.
- Review to consider needs and requirements of State Need Grant and guaranteed education tuition (GET) programs.
- Recommendations to Governor and higher education Ways and Means committees by October 1, 2009.



Faculty Salaries

- No salary increases funded, including salaries negotiated during collective bargaining
- No funding for negotiated health benefit increases



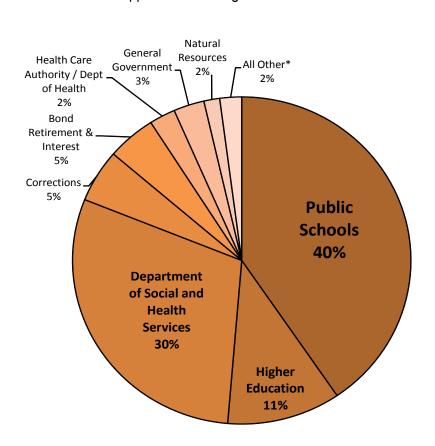
Performance Level – Policy Changes

- \$19,174,000 Financial aid adjustments for tuition increases
- \$4,400,000 Transfer of STARS program from CTED to HECB
- \$3,000,000 GET math and science
- \$1,500,000 Health care career advancement training at CTCs
- \$250,000 CWU fire contract

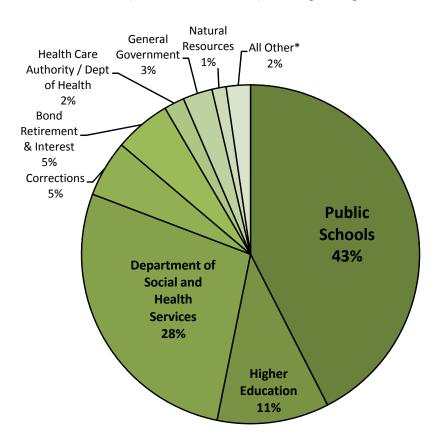


Operating Budgets: 2007-09 & Governor's 2009-11

2007-09 Budget (Enacted), Near General Fund State Includes 2008 Supplemental Changes



Governor's Proposed 2009-11 Operating Budget, Near General I

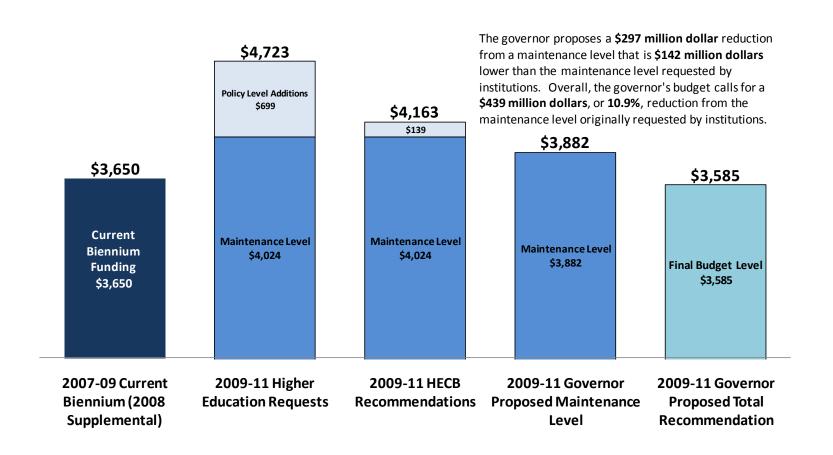




2009-11 Operating Budget Comparisons

2009-11 Higher Education Operating Budget Requests, HECB Recommendations, and Governor's Proposed Budget as Compared to Current Biennium Appropriations

Near General Fund- State, Dollars in Millions





Governor's Proposed 2009-11 Operating Budget for Higher Education

	GOVERNOR'S BUDGET TOTAL	\$ Change from Maintenance Level	% Change from Maintenance Level
NEAR GENERAL FUND STATE			
Four Year Public Total	\$1,607,907,000	(\$215,632,000)	-11.82%
Community/Technical College System	\$1,464,699,000	(\$106,341,000)	-6.77%
<u>Institutions Total</u>	\$3,072,606,000	(\$321,973,000)	<u>-9.48%</u>
Higher Education Coordinating Board	\$512,504,000	\$25,099,000	5.15%
Higher Education Total	\$3,585,110,000	<u>(\$296,874,000)</u>	<u>-7.65%</u>
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Four Year Public Total	\$1,093,623,000	\$128,124,000	13.27%
Community/Technical College System	\$521,176,000	\$34,461,000	7.08%
Institutions Total	\$1,614,799,000	<i>\$162,585,000</i>	<u>11.20%</u>
Higher Education Coordinating Board			
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Four Year Public Total	\$2,701,530,000	(\$87,508,000)	-3.14%
		(\$71,880,000)	-3.49%
Community/Technical College System	\$1,985,875,000		
Institution Total	\$4,687,405,000	(\$159,388,000)	<u>-3.29%</u>
Higher Education Coordinating Board	\$512,504,000	\$25,099,000	5.15%
Higher Education Total	\$5,199,909,000	<u>(\$134,289,000)</u>	<u>-2.52%</u>

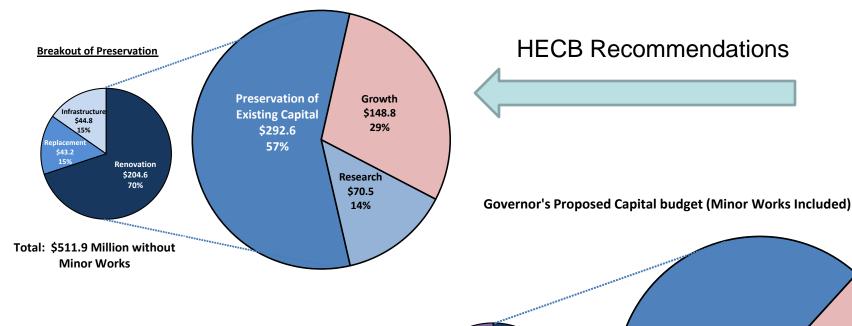
Source: OFM Budget Allotment and Support System, HECB analysis.



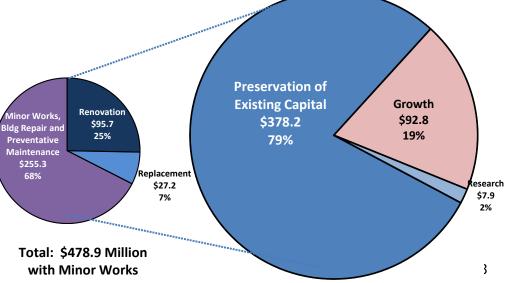
2009-11 Capital Budget Comparisons Dollars in Millions

Source: HECB Capital Recommendations, OFM Data on Governor's Supplemental. HECB Analysis

HECB Capital Funding Recommendations (Minor Works Not Included)



Governor's Proposal





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